



***Embassy of the United States of America
Madrid, Spain***

Demonstration Notice – April 25, 2013

DEMONSTRATIONS PLANNED FOR APRIL 26- MAY 3, 2013.

Planned and spontaneous demonstrations take place in Spain, especially in Madrid and Barcelona, in response to economic or other events. If you encounter a large public gathering or demonstration, the U.S. Embassy suggests that you avoid the area. Even demonstrations intended to be peaceful can turn confrontational. U.S. citizens are therefore urged to avoid the areas of demonstrations if possible, and to exercise caution if within the vicinity of any demonstrations.

The Government Delegation in Madrid has authorized the following demonstrations.

DATE	DURATION	ORGANIZERS	PURPOSE OF PROTEST OR DEMONSTRATION	LOCATION
04/26/13	10:30 – 13:00	Secciones Sindicales Ayto. de Madrid	Against social and labor cutbacks	Plaza Cibeles (Madrid Municipal Offices), Madrid
04/26/13	10:30 – 12:30	Secciones Sindicales Ayto. de Madrid	Against social and labor cutbacks	From Calle Alcalá 45, to Plaza Cibeles and then Calle Alcalá with Calle Barquillo, Madrid
04/26/13	11:00 – 12:30	Secciones Sindicales Ayto. de Madrid	Against social and labor cutbacks	From Plaza de la Villa, to Calle Mayor, Bailen and back to Plaza de la Villa, Madrid
04/26/13	11:00 – 12:00	FSC Madrid CC.OO.	Against social and salary cuts to public employees	Plaza Emperador Carlos V, Madrid
04/26/13	12:00 – 14:30	Unión Sindical Madrid Región CC.OO.	Occupational Health Day	Paseo del Prado (Museum, Velázquez entrance), Madrid

04/26/13	19:30 – 21:30	C.O.G.A.M.	The coming out of a discriminated group	Plaza de Callao, Madrid
04/27/13	17:30 – 20:30	Asociacion Estudios Falun Dafa	Human rights in China	Puerta del Sol, Madrid
04/29/13	18:00 – 20:00	FSIE Madrid, FEUSO Madrid, FETE-U.G.T., FREM-CC.OO. y STEM	Against loss of teaching jobs	Calle Alcalá 31 (Employment Council), Madrid
05/01/13	12:00 – 14:00	Union Sindical Obrero Sector Aereo	Labor issues with Iberia	Exterior Area of the 2nd floor, Barajas Airport, Madrid
05/01/13	12:00 – 15:00	Sindicatos CC.OO. y U.G.T.	1st of May celebration	From Plaza Canovas del Castillo (Atocha) to Cibeles, Calle Alcala to finalize in Puerta del Sol, Madrid
05/02/13	12:00 – 14:00	Asociacion Facultativos Especialistas de Madrid	Against the regional government's health sustainability plan	In front of the main door of the Prado Museum, Madrid
05/02/13	20:00 – 21:00	Plataforma contra la Impunidad del Franquismo	Justice, truth and reparation for victims	Puerta del Sol (Statue of Carlos III), Madrid
05/03/13	10:30 – 12:30	Secciones Sindicales Ayto. de Madrid	Against social and labor cutbacks	From Calle Alcalá 45, to Plaza Cibeles and then Calle Alcalá with Calle Barquillo, Madrid
05/03/13	11:00 – 11:45	Delegada Sindical CC.OO. Museo Nacional Centro Arte Reina Sofia	Against the cutbacks	Circular route around the Glorieta de Atocha, Madrid
05/03/13	20:30 – 21:30	Clara Maria Herran Luna	Against those laws that go against the human condition	Puerta del Sol, Madrid

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